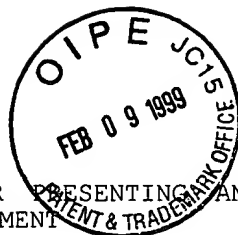


In re Application of: SHULMAN ET AL.

Serial No. 08/863,822

Filed: May 27, 1997

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ Petition For Extension Of Time
- ☐ Applicant(s) petitions for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.0 (enclosed).
- ☒ Applicant(s) believes that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, applicant(s) hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 04-1697 for the appropriate petition fee.
- ☐ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☐ Other:

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 04-1967 in the amount of \$ . A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$738.00 is attached.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1697. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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**AMENDMENT A and SUBMISSION OF  
PROPOSED DRAWING AMENDMENTS FOR APPROVAL BY EXAMINER**

Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action dated December 23,  
1998, please enter the following amendments and consider the  
following remarks. Reconsideration of the rejections and  
allowance of the pending claims are respectfully requested in  
view of the following amendments and remarks.

In addition, attached please find two sheets of redline  
drawings showing the proposed changes to the FIGs. 3 and 8 in  
this application, for which the approval of the Examiner is  
requested. No new matter is added by the proposed changes to  
the figures (nor by the amendments to the specification  
presented herein). Formal drawings will be submitted upon  
receipt of approval by the Examiner for the proposed changes  
to FIGs. 3 and 8.

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